

Amendments to the Specification:

Page 1, amend the title in line 3 as follows:

--WIPING DEVICE WITH DRIVE, UNIT FOR TREATING FLOORS
WITH THE DEVICE AND PROCESSES FOR WIPING A FLAT
SURFACE WITH THE DEVICE AND THE UNIT--

between lines 3 and 5, insert

-- Background of the Invention:

Field of the Invention: --

between lines 22 and 24, insert

-- Summary of the Invention: --

Page 19, between lines 24 and 26, insert

-- Brief Description of the Drawings: --

amend line 26 as follows: --~~In detail~~--

Page 21, between lines 15 and 17, insert

-- Description of the Preferred Embodiments: --

Page 39, amend the top line as follows:

-- ~~Claims~~ We Claim: --

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Page 43, replace page 43 with the new page 43 containing a replacement abstract, appended after page 8 of this preliminary amendment.